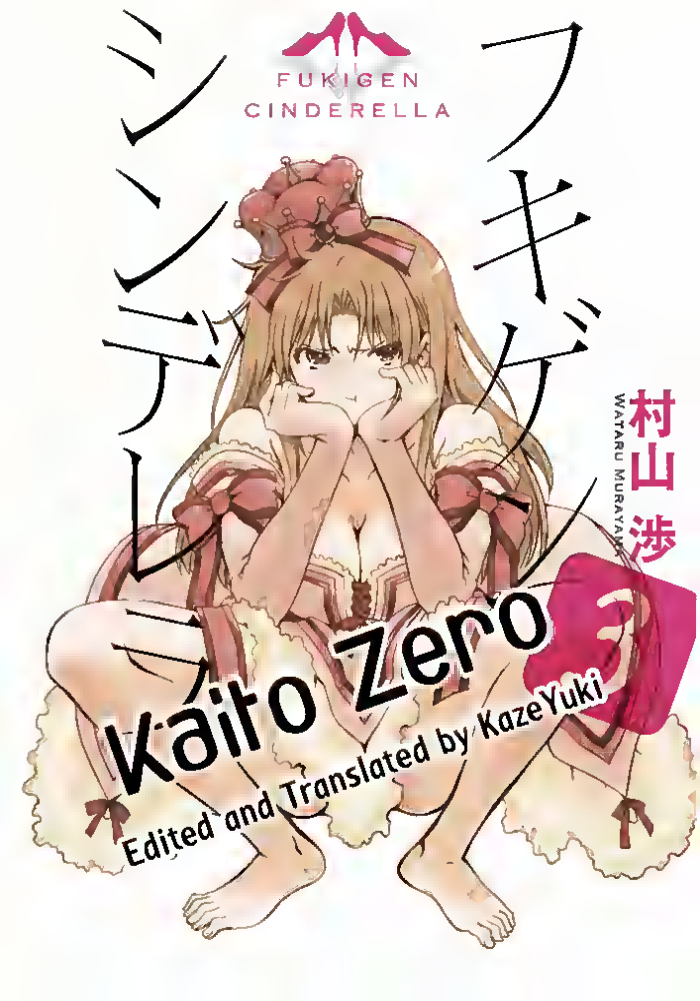
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SURE. THERE'S ONLY A LITTLE MORE TO DO ANYW. Y.
THANKS, SEE YA.
SORRY, NAGI-HARA-SAN.
I HAVE CRAM SCHOOL TODAY. CAN I LEAVE THE REST OF THE COMMITTEE WORK TO YOU?
SFX: TICK TOCK
ISN'T HE COMING TODAY...?
.....
IS NO ONE ELSE COMING TODAY?

SFX: OPEN
IS IT STILL OPEN?
AH...! YEAH!
SFX: CLATTER
I'M RETURNING THIS.
OKAY.
GREAT. YOU BROUGHT IT BACK BEFORE THE DUE DATE.
ISN'T IT NEARLY CLOSING TIME?
IT'S ABSOLUTELY FINE! CLOSING A LITTLE LATE WON'T HURT!
SFX: THUD
YOU'RE NOT BORROWING ANYTHING TODAY?
BYE...

I SEE... THEN...
I GUESS I'LL BORROW SOMETHING.
YEAH.
HARU-CHAN...
I WONDER IF HE KNOWS...
THAT I'M ALWAYS WAITING FOR HIM.

SO THAT I CAN BE ALONE WITH HIM IN THE LIBRARY AFTER SCHOOL.
DID YOU HEAR? I HEARD AOGI-SAN AND TAKURA-SAN STARTED DATING.
ISN'T THAT AMAZING?
WHAT'S SO AMAZING ABOUT IT?
PEOPLE CAN STILL DATE EVEN IF THEY DON'T LIKE THE OTHER PERSON.
NO WAY! WHY??
.....
BECAUSE DATING MEANS RECIPROCATED LOVE, RIGHT? ISN'T THAT CLOSE TO A MIRACLE?
SINCE IT'S NOT A DRAMA OR ANYTHING.

HARU-CHAN, IF SOMEONE YOU DIDN'T EVEN LIKE CONFESSED TO YOU, WOULD YOU GO OUT WITH THEM?
HM...
THEN IF...
IF A GIRL WHO THOUGHT YOU WERE KIND OF NICE CONFESSED TO YOU FOR SOME REASON...
WOULD YOU DATE HER?!
?
THIS
...IS JUST AN EXAMPLE THOUGH...!
SUPPOSE THERE'S A GIRL WHO REALLY REALLY LIKES YOU, SO MUCH THAT THEY CAN'T CONFESS...
WOULD YOU JUST IGNORE HER?!
I'M ONLY GIVING AN EXAMPLE THOUGH ...!
THERE'S NO POINT IN DATING UNLESS BOTH SIDES LIKE EACH OTHER...
ONE-SIDED LOVE, NO MATTER HOW STRONG, WILL ONLY BE A NUISANCE TO THE OTHER PERSON...
SFX: FIDGET X2

HARU-CHAN...
THEN... HARU-CHAN, IS THERE ANYONE YOU LIKE?
IS THERE SOME-ONE... OTHER THAN ME...
OR IS IT ME YOU...?

NO.
EH, WHY?
WOULDN'T YOU NORMALLY HAVE ONE OR TWO PEOPLE YOU LIKE?
AHAHA.
JUST A FEW DAYS AGO, YUKI-CHAN WAS CALLING ME 'SENPAI', SENPAI...
BUT TODAY...
I SEE...
HARU-CHAN DOESN'T HAVE SOMEONE HE LIKES...
HE DOESN'T FEEL ANYTHING FOR ME...

EH BUT...
IT'S FINE. NO ONE WILL SEE US TOGETHER.
WE'RE THE ONLY ONES STILL IN THE BUILDING.

IT'S GETTING LATE. I'M GOING HOME.
AH, WAIT FOR ME. LET'S GO HOME TOGETHER.
SFX: TTTT

OR... SHOULD WE ANNOUNCE WE'VE STARTED DATING?!
EH...

BUT...

IT'S A JOKE. AHAHA
JUST KIDDING!

I'M SURE FROM AN OUTSIDER'S PERSPEC- TIVE...
IT LOOKS LIKE WE'RE DATING... RIGHT?
SFX: BATHUMP X2
I'M THE ONE WHO KNOWS HARU-CHAN THE BEST AND...
HE KNOWS ME BEST SO...
MEETING LIKE THIS WHERE NO ONE CAN SEE,
PEOPLE MIGHT WONDER "ARE THEY DATING?"...
...OR SOME- THING...

NOT REALLY...
YOU'RE JUST MY CHILDHOOD FRIEND...
THEN

SHOULD WE TRY BEING
MORE THAN JUST CHILDHOOD FRIENDS?

SFX FULL
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HARU-CHAN...
SFX BAPUMP X4
MIFU...
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SFX: LEAN IN
Ahaha
JUST KIDDING! IT WAS A JOKE.
WERE YOU SURPRISED?
.....
...I WONDER WHEN I CAN FINALLY GET HARU-CHAN TO REALISE MY FEELINGS.
AT THIS RATE, HARU-CHAN AND I WILL KEEP DRIFTING APART
I'M ALREADY...
LET'S HURRY UP AND GO HOME!
SFX: THUP

IT... CAN'T BE HELPED SINCE I HAVE THIS KIND OF DARK PERSONALITY...
I'M BEING BULLIED
MY TEXTBOOK ALSO DISAPPEARED THE OTHER DAY.
IT'S IMPOSSIBLE FOR ME TO FIND A GIRLFRIEND.
HARU-CHAN...?
THERE'S NO GIRL WHO'LL LIKE A GUY LIKE ME.

SFX: PUSH AWAY
SFX: HUG
HARU-CHA...?
I'LL PRO-TECT YOU HARU-CHAN SO...!!

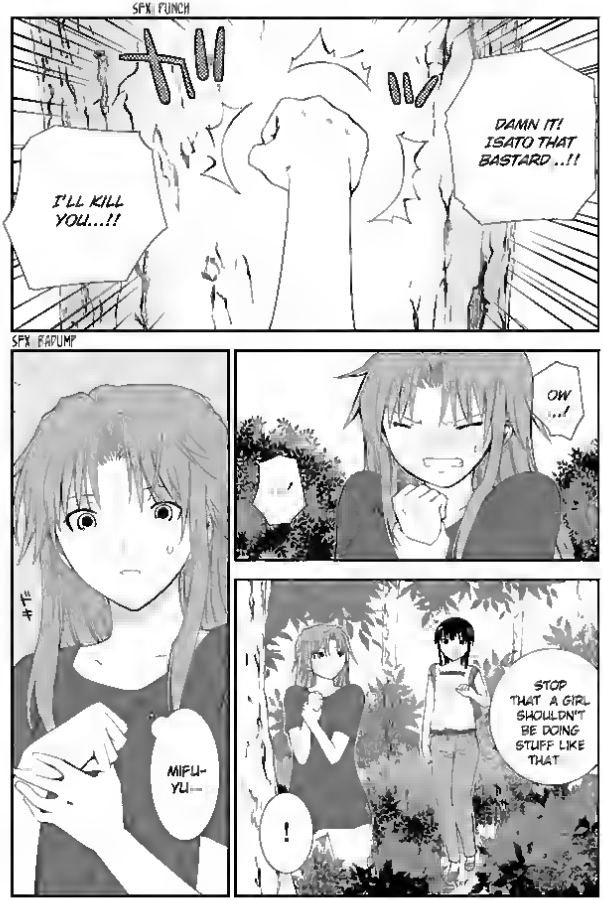
YOU DON'T HAVE TO KEEP PRETENDING YOU'RE GETTING ALONG WITH YOUR FRIENDS.
EH. ?
I... WATCHED YOU TODAY.
YOU DIDN'T TALK TO ANYONE. THEY ALL GAVE YOU THE COLD SHOULDER...
BECAUSE YOU'RE WITH ME.
YOU SHOULDN'T BOTHER WITH ME ANYMORE.
I'LL GO HOME ALONE.
HARU-CHA...
NO...

THIS ISN'T WHAT I WANT.
HARU-CHAN, I HAVE ALWAYS ALWAYS...

THEY'VE DONE IT NOW...
MY SHOES ARE MIS SING.

SFX: THUD
I GUESS THERE'S HELPING IT, GEEZ ...
I'LL SEARCH WITH YOU!
YOU'RE MY PRECIOUS CHILDHOOD FRIEND SO YOU SHOULD RELY ON ME MORE.
LIKE WE HAVE TILL NOW, FROM NOW ON, ALWAYS.
WHEN DID...
MY FEELINGS BECOME SO WARPED?

WE'RE NO LONGER FRIENDS
HARU-CHAN WAS THE ONLY ONE I HAD YET I .
HOW LONG HAS IT BEEN SINCE THEN...
I NEVER THOUGHT WE'LL MEET AGAIN AFTER STARTING UNIVER-SITY...

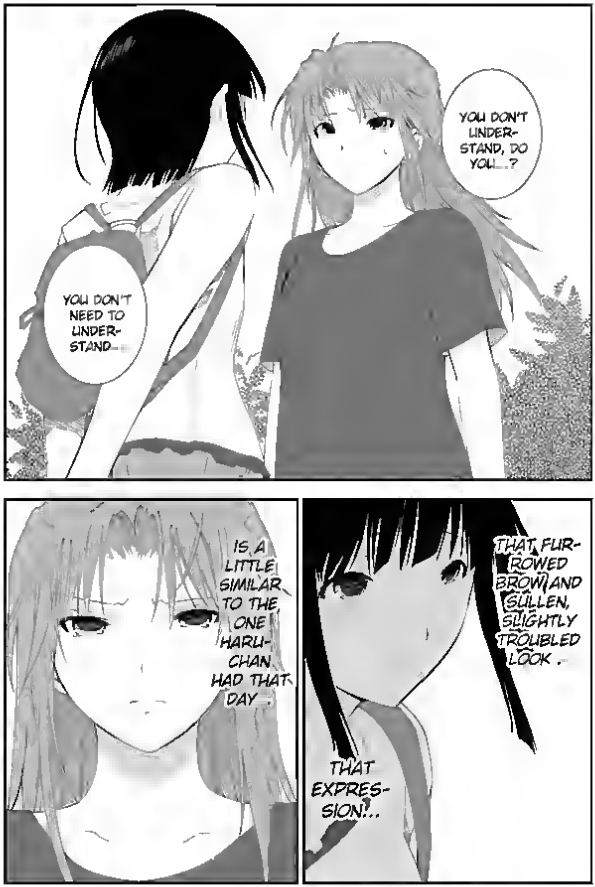

SFX: PUNCH
I'LL KILL YOU...!!
DAMN IT! ISATO THAT BASTARD..!!
SFX: FAPUMP
ドキ
MIFU-YU—
OW...!
!
STOP THAT A GIRL SHOULDN'T BE DOING STUFF LIKE THAT

IS YOUR BACK OKAY NOW?
AH AHH... YES...
I WAS SO WORRIED WHEN YOU DISAP-PEARED THE OTHER DAY
BYE...

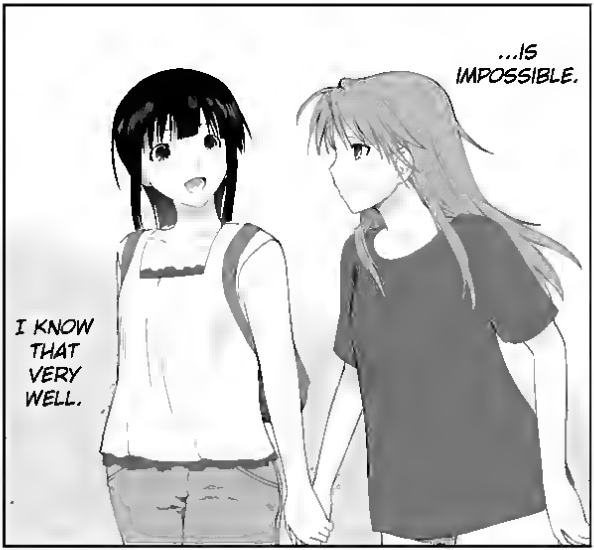
HUH...?
WHAT...
WHAT YOU SAID THE OTHER DAY...
BEING ATTACKED BY SOMEONE YOU THOUGHT OF AS A FRIEND...
BEING TOO WEAK TO FIGHT BACK...
IF "THIS" IS THE DIVINE PUNISHMENT THEN...
DIVINE PUNISHMENT IS WHAT I DESERVE
IF IT'S THE ME NOW...
I THINK I UNDERSTAND THOSE FEELINGS A LITTLE
THAT YOU WANTED TO KILL KANNA HARUHIKO THAT...
WAS ABOUT ME...

AKI-CHAN, YOU WON'T UNDER-STAND.

WHAT I WANT TO KILL IS MY EXPRESSION OF LOVE.


YOU DON'T NEED TO UNDER-STAND...
YOU DON'T UNDER-STAND, DO YOU...?
IS A LITTLE SIMILAR TO THE ONE HARU-CHAN HAD THAT DAY.
THAT FUR-ROWED BROW AND SULLEN, SLIGHTLY TROUBLED LOOK.
THAT EXPRES-SION?...

IF YOU HAVEN'T HAD LUNCH DO YOU WANT TO EAT TOGETHER?
LET'S GO AKI-CHAN
IT'S MYSTERIOUS
EVEN THOUGH WE'RE BOTH WOMEN
I FEEL LIKE I WANT TO PROTECT YOU
MIFUYU
THAT
RETURNING TO...
THE RELATIONSHIP WE HAD IN THE PAST


...IS IMPOSSIBLE.
I KNOW THAT VERY WELL.

...BUT IF IT'S "AKI"...
MAYBE WE CAN START OVER...?